

Ann (Wells) Kopke, 84

Ann (Wells) Kopke, 84, of Duxbury, died Friday March 3, 2017 at Beth Israel Deaconess Hospital in Plymouth. She was the wife of the late Walter F. Kopke, Jr. and the daughter of the late Robert and Jean P. (Fox) Wells.

Ann was raised in Whitman and worked for the telephone company for many years before marrying Walter and moving to Duxbury in 1963. Ann was very active at St. John's Evangelist Church and was also a volunteer chaplain at the Jordan Hospital in Plymouth. She was president of the Duxbury chapter of AFS in the 1970s and hosted many exchange students. She and Walter also ran a bed and breakfast for many years and enjoyed meeting people from around the world.

Ann is survived by her sister Barbara J. (Wells) Mann and her husband Loren and also by Cris and Virginia Kopke of Avon; Brian and Margie Kopke of Ottawa, Canada; Kent and Colette Kopke of Denver, CO; Joel Kopke of Austin, TX and Sara and John Harvey of Duxbury. She leaves 14 grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and three nieces and nephews.

A service was held on Saturday, March 11 at St Johns Episcopal Church in Duxbury.